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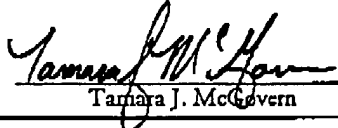
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**Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated December 27, 2004, applicants hereby re-submit the corrected section of the non-compliant, "Amendment to the Claims" of the above-referenced application as follows:

The Corrected Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.